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RE: Allowable Ex Parte Communications Briefing held on December 11, 2019

Docket No: ND 2018-321-E/2018-322-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Pursuant to the provisions of S.C. Code Ann. § 58-3-260, and as the Executive Director's designee, I am attaching copies of the certified statements from all persons present (see sign in sheets also attached) at the December 11, 2019, allowable *ex parte* communication briefing held by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC regarding DEC and DEP Applications for Approval of Proposed Electric Transportation Pilot and an Accounting Order to defer Capital and Operating Expenses. The allowable *ex parte* communication briefing began at 2:00 p.m.

Please find enclosed a copy of the transcript of the briefing and accompanying presentation materials. Any written materials utilized or referenced at the briefing by any of the attendees or Commissioners are provided by those who utilized or referenced them and are included as follows:

Documents Attached:

- DEC, DEP ET Pilot PowerPoint
- EPRI, Consumers Guide to EVs, March 2019
- Washington UTC (Utilities and Transportation Commission) Policy Statement, Docket Number UE-160799, Order dated June 14, 2017
- Maryland Public Service Commission (PSC) Order 88997, "In the Matter Relating to EVSE and Implementation of a Statewide EV Portfolio in Maryland" including BGE, Pepco, Delmarva, and Potomac Edison (PE) and multiple stakeholders, Case No. 9478, January 14, 2019

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- NRRI (National Regulatory Research Institute) "Insights" white paper, "Utilities Have a Vital Role in Advancing EV Infrastructure through the VW Settlement", dated September, 2019; and
- Electric Vehicle Cost-Benefit Analysis PowerPoint

With the links provided by those who utilized or referenced them during the allowable ex parte briefing, this briefing is hereby certified as being in compliance with S.C. Code Ann. § 58-3-260(C)(6)(a)(i). If links and documents were not provided by those who utilized, referenced or distributed them as required by S.C. Code Ann. § 58-3-260(C)(6)(a)(ii), this certification is null and void.

It is my understanding that the transcript of the briefing will be posted on your website, and this transcript is incorporated by reference in all certified statements. The transcript is intended to satisfy the summary requirement of $\S 58-3-260(C)(6)(a)(ii)$.

As required by law, please post all documents relating to these briefings on your website. Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

Enclosures